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A) RUMANIAN GROUND FORCESa) HEADQUARTERS

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Apr 51- Militia headquarters of.

SIBIU

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(3-story)

Located in a building, 20 meters long, on STALIN Square.

Lieutenant GEORGESCU is the commanding officer.

There is no guard in front of the door, but one is posted inside the corridor armed with a pistol.

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b) DEPOTS

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Apr 51- Munitions depots

CISNADIE

Some munitions depots are located about 1 kilometer north of the place in the margin, in a forest area.

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The depots are composed of masonry barracks surrounded by dirt embankments.

In 1947 part of the forest caught fire - (apparently ~~by~~ sabotage) -

and some of the depots exploded.

Guard service is carried out by an unidentified infantry unit lodged in wooden barracks in the area.

B) ECONOMIC INFORMATION

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INDUSTRYApr 51- INTREPRINDEREA PENTRU EXPLOATAREA SI INDUSTRIALIZAREA LEMNULUI.

TALMACTIU

Establishment for exploiting ^{and} the industrialization of wood

Located in the place in the margin.

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Administration

Manager: one MUSSOLINI, Rumanian, a former worker.

Chief engineer: one MENDLER, a Rumanian Jew.

Political commissar: Vassile ROMAN, a Rumanian; has three office workers as subordinates.

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He has on file the biographies of all the personnel of the establishment. 50X1-HUM
He is feared by all.

Sawmill

It is the one which formerly belonged to the Italian "FELTRINELLI" Company.

Machinery: 4 steam-operated saws.

Each can cut logs from 16 to 60 cm. in diameter into planks.

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Origin of logs

RAU SADULI

The logs come to the sawmill from woods in the area in the margin.

The woods were formerly the property of the FELTRINELLI company.

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Irrational exploitation of forests

In 1948 a plan was drawn up for the cutting of [] timber until 1960.

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However, the plan ^{has been} ~~was~~ not followed and [] up to this time the logs have ^{been} ~~been~~ cut not according to the plan but according to the principle of getting the

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most wood with the least effort.

[] The result of this will probably be a complete deforestation of the area.

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Workers

There are about 500 workers employed in the factory. The number of workers in the forest ^{range} ~~oscillates~~ between 500 and 1000 according to the seasons.

Work schedule

- in the factory: 2 shifts of 8 hours each
- in the forests: about 12 hours of work.

Pay

The workers receive 4000 - 4500 lei a month.

Discounts for the workers

THE workers who work for the establishment for a period of over 72 days may purchase:

- one pair of shoes at 1800 lei (on the free market they cost 3400 lei and on the black market 5600 lei);

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Reimbursement of price of railroad tickets

THE price of railroad fare from the residence of the worker to TALMACIU is re-funded to workers who work with the establishment at ~~last~~ 30 days.

Apr 51- "INDEPENDENCE" Farm machine factory

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The "INDEPENDENCE" factory, formerly called "RIEGER" produces farm machinery and repair parts for farm machinery.

It is provided with a foundry.

Workers: over 1000

Apr 51- Textile factories

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The numerous textile factories previously existing in the place in the margin

☐ have, since 1948, been united into 5-6 large state enterprises. 50X1-HUM

The raw material comes from RUSSIA and a large part of the finished products are sent to RUSSIA.

There are about 6,000 textile workers.

Apr 51- Electric power plant under construction

RAU SADUL

Work management:

The management of the work is in the charge of the SOVROMCOSTRUCTIA.

The director is a Russian engineer.

Location of building yards

The building yard of the plant is identified by the number 5 and is located about 3 kilometers east of the locality indicated in the margin, on the SATUL river.

Work

Work was begun in the fall of 1948 and according to plans it should be completed in 1952.

The construction of a large watershed is under way (which will exploit the waters of the SATUL river) about 6 kilometers upstream from ~~the~~ building yard no. 5.

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The stone dike was formerly elevated and now work is being begun to line it with ~~concrete~~ ^{concrete}.

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From the dike to the plant the water will be carried in concrete water mains.

This project has already reached an advanced stage.

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Workers

The number of workers varies according to the season, from a maximum of 600 to a minimum of 200.

During the summer, when the farmers must work in the fields, there is a shortage of manpower.

Pay

laborer

The receives 168 lei a day for 8 hours of work.

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C) POLITICAL INFORMATIONMiscellaneousResistance activities

In the fall of 1950 three officers of the "SECURITATEA", ~~and~~ including the Commanding officer of the "SECURITATEA" of BRASOV were killed in an unidentified place by anti-Communist rebels in ambush.

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May 50- Shooting of rebels

SIMBIU

In March 1950 General DA BIJA and 6 other rebels including a ^{girl} ~~young~~ 19 years old, one ALEXANDRA POP, were seized on Mount FAGARASULUI (79-80/20-1) by a Militia unit.

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